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Our best thanks are again accorded to those who have in any way helped us in this compilation. It takes long and careful vigilance to ascertain and give effect to the continual changes.

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#### PART I.

	ıly,	Calendar—Anniversaries, etc.
1 1	Thur	French Cadet Ship in Rothesay Bay, 1905.
2 1	Fri	Steamboat boycott of Millport [three days], 1906.
3 8		Debut of the Royal Rothesay Silver Band at Esplanade, 1926
4 8	Sun	Archibald Campbell Black, writer, Glasgow, died, 1912.
		Silver Wedding of Prov. and Mrs M'Millan, Rothesay, 1918.
6	Tues	King married, 1893. Marquis of Bute married, 1905.
		Ex-President Taft, U.S.A., LL.D., Aberdeen Univ., 1922.
8	Thur	Lieut Jas Cunningham, Rothesay, killed at the Front. 1916.
9	Fri	(10) Lord Bute brought his bride to Mountstuart, 1905.
		Alex. Campbell appointed Rothesay Registrar, 1916.
		(10-11-12) King George V visited Rothesay, 1920.
12	Mon	Ex-Prov. McIntosh apptd. Clerk, Bute Insurance Co., 1923
		(12) David Arnot apptd. County Clerk of Buteshire, 1923.
		Inauguration of Albert Memorial Fountain, Rothesay, 1864.
		Rev John M'Alpine, Roslin (native of Rothesay, died, 1922.
		(15) Captain Harding appointed Chief Constable, 1898.
		(16) Death of Councillor William Black, Rothesay, 1921.
		King George V, visited Edinburgh (Butemen honrd ), 1911
		(20) Saint Bruix Day Fair instituted, 1585.
		R C Garden Fete, Convent Grounds, Rothesay, 1923.
		Rev John R. Scoular, Cupar-Fife, died 1915.
		Rev John Sau nders, Kingarth, inducted, 1879.
		International Advertising Convention visited the Clyde, 1924
		Dr Andrew J. Hall, Rothesay, died, 1916.
		Rev D. M'Cormick, inducted, Chapelh'l Free Ch., Ry., 1877
		Pirnmill Ferryboat foundered: the 30 passengers saved, 192
		(29) Sir James Lamont, Knockdhu, died, 1913.
		29) Freedom of Rothesay to Prof. Sir Wm. Macewen, '22.
		30) Rev J D Ramsay inducted to Rothesay Free Ch., 1918.
		Sheriff Anderson, Dumfries, to Renfrew and Bute, 1917
31	Sat	18a Internacia Esperanto Kongreso opened, Edinburgo, 192

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Aug 1926	Calendar—Anniversaries, etc.
1 Sun	House of Lords decided in favour of Remainant Frees, 1904
2 Mon	1250 Scottish-Americans welcomed hame on holiday 1926.
	Rev J M E Ross, editor, British Weekly, died in Italy, 192
	Earl of Dumfries born at Mount Stuart, 1907.
	Rev Hugh Davidson inducted into West U F Church, 1928
6 Fri	Charter granted to Lodge Rothesay St John, No. (296) 299
7 Sat	A. W. Herbert appointed County Clerk, 1909.
8 Sun	Scots Coronation Stone taken to England, 1296.
9 Mon	Late King's Coronation (postponed from 26th June), 1902
	Rev Frank Saunders BD, killed in action, 1918.
	Rev Jas. Graham ordained first dissenter in Rothesay, 784
12 Thur	(11) Wm. Spencer, J. P., Southpark, died, 1911
13 Fri	Sir William Maxwell, Ardbeg, knighted, 1919.
14 Sat	Rothesay Electric Tramways Inspected by Bd of Trade, 190
15 Sun	(14) Sergt. Dunc. Ferguson, killed at the Front, 1916.
16 Mon	Late King's first visit to Rothesay, 1847.
	(16) Rothesay Esplanade Russell Band Stand opened, 187
18 Wed	Roth say Town Council purchased fire engine, 1913.
19 Thur	Rothesay Electric Tramways opened for traffic, 1902.
20 Fri	Agriccultural Society's Free Gift Sale at Roth. Castle, 191
	Archd. Brown, banker, Rothesay, died, 1903.
	Presbyterianism established in Scotland, 1567.
	Visit of Foreign Esperantists to Rothesay, 1907.
	Steamer "Comet" launched at Port Glasgow, 1812
	(24) George Innes, pawnbroker, Rothesay, died, 1913.
	Sheriff Wilson introduced to Rothesay Sheriff Court, 1912.
	(28) Opening of Railwaymen's Conv. Home at Ascog, 192
	Private Gavin Fleming, H.L.I., killed at the Front, 1916.
29 Sun	Memorial Stone of Bridgend New U. F. Church laid, 1908
	Death of Adam D Macbeth, writer, Rothesay, 1917.
31 Tues	Opening & Dedication of new St Andrews Ch, Roth., 1925

This useful handbook of useful local information is again issued--for season 1924-1925. It is quite indispensible for those carrying on business in or with the county. —Buteman.

The new edition of the Bute County Directory for 1924-25, published by Messrs Higgie & Co., Rothesay, maintains the reputation of the publication as a comprehensive record of activities and information of interest to the county. The directory comprises county and burghal information, lists of public officials and society office-bearers, agricultural and fishery statistics, and householders and traders. The calendar, with anniversaries for each date, is in reality a compact history of the county.—Record and Mail, Glasgow.

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S	<b>ept</b> , 926.	Calendar—Anniversaries, etc.
		Princess Louise and Marquis of Lorne visited Rothesay, 187
		(1) Sanitary Congress at Rothesav, 1922.
		Freedom of Rothsy, to A. B. Stewart and Thos. Russell, 1875
		Sir Jn Reid gave Erskine House for Soldiers' Hospital, 191
		Ex-Bailie Aitchison, Rothesav, died, 1908.
		Sergt. T. Hamilton killed at the Front, 1916.
		Co-Operative Society formed in Rothesay 1918.
		Rev Chas Matheson, MA. inducted, Chapehill U.F. Ch., "
		ex-Bailie Muir won Scottish Bakers' Champion Cup, 1909
		(9) Chapelhill Free Gaelic Church. Rothesay, opened, 1860
11		Sergt. Donald McIntyre awarded Military Medal, 1916.
		Rothesay public street lighting by Electricity, 1899.
		James Heaton, spirit merchant, Rothesay, died 1924
14	Tues	Ex-Provost Sharp, J.P., D.L., died 1914.
15	Wed	(14) R W Campbell, St Regulus, died, 1918.
		Rothesay War Memorial unveiled, 1922.
17	Fri	John Cruickshanks, plumber, died, 1907.
18		Rev Dugald M'Cormack, Chapelbill U F Ch., died, 1922.
19	Sun	Corp. Robert C. Miller, Canada, killed at the Front, 1916
20	Mon	Franco-Scottish Society visited Bute, 1911
		Rev Charles Mathieson, called to Aberdeen, 1925.
22	Wed	(Ex-Provost Brown, Rothesay, died, 1878
23	Thur	Gaelic Mod opened at Rothesay, 1908.
24	Fri	Wm. Tytler appointed agent, Royal Bank, Roth, 1906.
25	Sat	Opening of "Lady Margaret" Hospital, Millport, 1900.
26	Sun	Rev Dr Alex. Robertson, Nagpur. died at Rothesay, 1920.
		Rev Samuel Crabb, Ardbeg Baptist Church, died 1919.
28	Tues	Freedom of Rothesay to first barber, 1764.
		Use of Iron Harrow Pins enacted in Bute, 1720.
30	Thur	Prince Leopold visited Rothesay, 1876.
		(30) Bailie John Slaven, Rothesay, died 1924

As far as we can see, the information about Millport and Cumbrae is quite correct and thoroughly reliable, so we may take it for granted that the rest of the matter is the same. The book, which runs into 144 pp., should be extremely useful and convenient for the residents of the county of islands, as well as to visitors, especially those who have business dealings with the inhabitants,—Largs and Millport News

This useful publication is again to hand. The publishers have been so enter prising as regards its compilation that the Directory is now an absolute necessity to business people who have dealings with the picturesque County of Bute. It should be noted that the Directory also contains a useful almanac.—Ardrossan Herald,

Oet	
1 Fri	Present Cumbrae Lighthouse first lighted, 1793.
2 Sat	
3 Sur	
4 Mo	
	s Lord Butc intimated gift of Museum and Library, Roth., '25
6 We	
	ar Arch Lamont, J P, Port Bannatyne, died, 1921.
8 Fri	
9 Sat	
10 Sur	
	Grain Store, High Street, Rothesay, burned, 1922. s Roth. Branch An Commun Gaidhealach formed, 1906.
13 We	
	Glasgow Water works opened, 1859.
15 Fri	
16 Sat	
17 Sur	
	Wm Dickie, J.P., Farmer, Bannatyne Mains, died, 1921.
	s Sudden death of Councillor D. I. Morris, Rothesay, 1911.
20 We	QM. Sergt. Neil Leitch died through War shock, 1919.
21 Thu	r Telephone connection with Kilchattan Bay opened, 1908.
22 Fri	(21) Andrew Dodds, joiner, Rothesay died, 1903.
23 Sat	
24 Su	
25 Mo	James VI styled King of James I Great Britain, 1664.
	s J C Lamb inducted U F Church, Lamlash, 1922.
27 Wee	
	r (29) J L Masterton apptd. agent. Bank of Scotland, 1901
29 Fri	Freedom of Rothesay to Marquis of Lorne, 1874.
30 Sat	
31 Sun	Prince George visited Rothesay, 1922.

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Nov., 1926.		Calendar-Anniversaries, etc.
1	Mon	Kev C T Beale, B A, inducted rector, St Paul's, Rothesay,'09
		James Lyon, farmer, Drumachlov, died, 1913.
3	Wed	Parish Councillor Harry Leitch, Rothesav, died 1925
		Institution of Anct. Order of Forresters, Court Bute, 1871.
5	Fri	Whale caught in the Kyles, 1880
6	Sat	Ex-Bailie Squair, J.P., Rothesay, died 1911
		Dr Scongal, Inspector of Schools, died, 1916.
		Rev J. C. Rendall inducted into Roth. Baptist Ch., 1920.
9	Tues	John M. Lamont appointed Clerk to Lieutenancy, 1915.
		Alex. Lister, florist, Rothesay, died, 1917.
		The Great War ended: Armistice signed 1918.
		Donald Grant, solicitor, Rothesay, died, 1920.
		Roth, Harb, Trust agreed to impose 1d toll on pier. 1916,
		(13) Deacon Thomson. Ardbeg, aged 94, died 1917.
		(14) Fishery Conference at Rothesay, 1905.
		(17) W. A. Wilson, Proprietor of "Buteman," died, 1908.
		"Duchess of Rothesay" Chapter 15, O.E.S., instd., 1905.
		A. M. Millar, grocer, Rothesay, died, 1917.
		Semi-Jubilee of Rbt. A. Mason, supert., Prudential, 1915.
		Ex-Provost Orkney, Rothesav. died, 1909
		(22) Cmndr. Evans, lectured in Rothesav on, South Pole, 1913
		(Roth, celebr, union of Free and U.P. Churs, [31stOct.] 1900
		24) John Knox died, 1572
		Capt. Claud Gray Buchanan, killed in action, 1914
		First newspaper printed in Bute, 1839
		Extraordinary take of Herrings in Kyles (200 boats), 1902.
		Rothesay Town Council took over Gas Works, 1843.
		Opening of Bute Savings Bank Premises, Castle St., 1905.
29	Mon	(30) Bute Burns Club instituted, 1887.
30	Tuos	Presentation to Alex M'Nab, Church worker, Rothesay '21.
		Foundation of Chanelhill Free Church laid, 1859.

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Dec.'	Calendar—Anniversaries, etc.
1 Wed	
2 Thur	(3) Old Mountstuart House destroyed by fire, 1877.
3 Fri	New Rothesay Masonic Temple opened, 1909.
4 Sat	(5) A. M. Mackay, farmer, Bruchag died, 1913
5 Sun	Amalgamation of Buteshire Liberal Associations, 1917.
6 Mon	George Shiells, J.P., Rothesay, died suddenly, 1915.
	(8) J. Windsor Stuart, Factor on Bute Estate died, 1905.
8 Wed	Public Halls, built by ex-Prov. Chas Duncan, opened, 1879.
9 Thur	First Lighthouse in Clyde (Cumbrae), opened 1757.
10 Fri	Hugh McLean, farmer, Ascog, died, 1920.
11 Sat	New Street behind Glenrosa Pl. sanctioned by Tn.Cncl., 1911
12 Sun	Death of Councillor Robert Miller, Rothesay, 1917.
13 Mon	"Buteman" Jubilee Celebration and Presentation, 1904.
14 Tues	David Lawson, Baker, Rothesay, died, 1919.
15 Wed	(16) Rothesay Advertising Association instituted, 1903.
	(17) New Zealand Flag unfurled, Rothesay Academy, 1910.
17 Fri	Resuscitation of Prov Grnd Ldge of Argyll and Isles, 1875.
18 Sat	Rothesay public records lost when being returned, 1660.
19 Sun	George Berwick, M.D. Ardbeg, died 1925.
20 Mon	Captain John Mackirdy, Beechwood, died, 1913.
	Old Bute Militia Colours left in Roth. Parish Ch., 1920.
22 Wed	Kyles of Bute Hydropathic burned, 1909—re-opened, 1911.
	Ex-Bailie Brown. Rothesay, pres. Liberal Assocn., died, 1912
24 Fri	Lady Margaret MacRae born, 1876.
25 Sat	Christmas Day. Imperial penny postage, 1898.
	David Macnair, store-keeper, murdered in Canada, 1922. Alex. M'Farlane, farmer, Meikle Kilchattan, died 1920.
27 Mun	(27) Rev Wm C. Galbraith. M A. B sc Roth., Ordained, 1925
	Absence of occupation is not restCowper.
29 Wed	Not one false man but does unaccountable mischiefCarlyle
	Hogmanav.
31 Fri	nogmanay.

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1		
	Jan., 1927.	Calendar—Anniversaries, etc.
		M'Kirdy & M'Millan, Lmtd Rothesay, formed, 1898.
		(3) Dr Watkin Penney, Ardbeg, died, 1905.
		Colonel M'Leod Robertson awarded D. S. O., 1918.
		Tragic death of Major G H Fenton Newall, 1916.
		James Heron, Rothesay merchant and Volunteer, died 1903.
		(7) Peter Leith, chemist, Rothesay, died at Glasgow, 1918.
	7 Fri	Capt. Archd. Reid, Rothesay, awarded M.C., 1918.
		Rev J. King Hewison inducted to Rothesay parish, 1884
	9 Sun	
		(9) Dr John Maddever, Walsall, died 1911
	1 Tues	
		Rothesay erected into a Royal Burgh, 1400.
		Memorial Stone of Millport Hospital laid, 1901.
1	4 F T1	Major J. R. Yeates, County Procurator-Fiscal, died 1920.
		(14) Robert Stewart, Grain Merchant, Rothesay, died 1926 Arch. M Burnie, Florist and Seedsman, d. at Edin, '1924
		Bishop Smith, of Argyll and the Isles, died 1918.
		Hugh Thompson, Foreman Postman, Rothesay, died 1924
		James Keith, restaurateur Rothesay, died, 1920
		James Duncan, J.P., oldest Farmer in Bute, died, 1922.
		British Legion formed at Rothesay, 1925.
		Lord Bannatyne, of Kames, admitted advocate, 1765
		William Roy appointed Postmaster of Rothesay, 1922.
		(25) Colonel MacIsaac, V.D., Rothesav, died 1915.
		Rev A Cowie, inducted in Ascog U F Ch, 1925.
		Robert Duncan, Hotel-Keeper, Auchenlochan, died, 1922.
		(24) Freedom of Rothesay to first local Shipbuilder, 1765.
		Hugh Duncan, MA, Writer, Glasgow, died, 1921.
		Marquis of Bute enlisted as Private Soldier, 1916.
3		James Thompson, bootmaker, Rothesay, died 1915.
3	1	A. G. Murray appointed President, Court of Session, 1905.

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	<b>'eb</b> .,	Calendar—Anniversaries, etc.
1	Tues	City of Glasgw Bank Directors sentenced, 1879.
2	Wed	R D Macmillan appointed Procurator-Fiscal of Ayr, 1916.
	Thur	(2) Provost Munn, Rothesay, died, 1858.
		Jubilce Presentation to Bridgend UF Ch Office-Bearer, '24
		Rev John Rutherford, late of Craigmore U.F. Ch., died '17.
		Duncan Maclea, writer ("Delta"), died at Glasgow, 1915.
		W Roy, Huntly, appointed Postmaster at Rothesay, 1922.
		Inauguration of Equifex Disinfector at Rothesay, 1906.
.,9	Wed	Robert Orkney, Rothesay, died at Sea, 1916.
		J. R. Yeates, County Proc. Fiscal, pres. Commission, 1916.
	Fri	Hugh Lauder, Jeweller, Rothesay, died, 1917.
		Semi-Jubilee of Rev Joseph Traill, BD, U F Par Ch, 1923.
		Councillor Neil McCallum died, 1911.
-	Mon	out the same of th
		(16) John A Urquhart, Grocer, Rothesay died 1926.
		Death of Andrew Holmes, grocer, Rothesay, 1916.
		Presentation of Weights and Measures by Marquess, 1816.
		(17) Marquis of Bute invested with Order of Thistle, 1923.
		Rothesay's Privileges confirmed by James VI, 1584.
		Charles Mylne, yacht builder, Ardmaleish, died 1925
		First Hydropathic in Scotland (Glenburn, Rothesay), 1843.
		Bryce Ferguson, late Bookseller, Rothesay, died 1918.
	Wed	County Volunteer Regiment formed at Rothesay, 1917.
		(23) Wireless Telegraphy installed at 22 Bridge St, 1923.
	Fri	(24) Lieutenant Hugh Montgomerie, died 1919
1	Sat	Rev. Dr Somerville, late of Rothesay, died 1903.
	Sun	Capt. M'Kay, Chief Constable. Rothesay, died 1921.
28	Mon	Rev J. F. Padkin inducted to Rothesay W. U. F. Ch., 1911.
		(28) Order of St Patrick instituted,

It requires courage—Not to bend the knee to popular prejudice. To say "No" squarely when those around you say "Yes."

To be what you are, and not pretend to be what you are not.

To remain in honest poverty while others grow rich by questionable methods.

To speak the truth when, by a little prevarication, you might get some good advantage To live honestly within your means and not dishonestly upon the means of others.

To stand firmly erect while others are bowing and fawning for praise and power.

To refuse to do a thing when you think it is wrong, because it is done in trade.

To do your duty in silence, obscurity and poverty, while others prosper through neglecting or violating sacred obligations.

To face slander and lies, and carry yourself with cheerfulness, grace and dignity for years before the lie can be corrected.

In Preparation—for the Next Issue.

#### THE BUTE COUNTY DIRECTORY.

Published Annually, Price (2s to Subscribers.) 3s. (Postage, 3d.

Mar., 1927.	Calendar—Anniversaries, etc.
1 Tues	St David's Day,
	(2) Independent Labour Party founded in Bute, 1923.
	Norman Lamont first elected M.P. for Buteshire, 1905.
4 Fri	Bute Bee-Keepers' Association formed, 1916.
5 Sat	John J L Gardner apptd Rothesav Chamberlain, 1923.
6 Sun	Alex Stephen apptd Rothesay Master of Works, 1923.
7 Mon	John Gemmill, Chemist, Rothesay, died, 1923.
8 Tues	Late Lord Bute's Wedding Dowry intimated, 1897
	(10) Resuscitation of Bute Primrose League, 1903.
10 Thui	George Halliday, Sawmiller, Rothesay, died 1915.
11 Fri	Bute Agricultural Society established, 1806.
12 Sat	
	(12) Ex-Provost M'Intosh, Rothesay, died, 1923.
14 Mon	(13) Fatal Accident to John Mackirdy, writer, Glasgow, '17.
	Introduction of Sheriff Kennedy to Bute Court, 1907.
16 Wed	Rev John Forsyth inducted to Whiting Bay U F Ch., 1917.
17 Thu	Welcome to Tramway Officials at Rothesay, 1924.
	(17) Presentation of Red Cross Medals by Lady MacRae, 22.
	Peter Monie, rector, Irvine Academy, d. at Rothesay, 1921.
	Rector Burgess, Rothesay Academy, caped D.Sc, 1924
	Major Thomas W Alexander killed at the Front, 1918
22 Tues	Ex-Priovost Donald M'Millan, Rothesay, died, 1921.
23 Wed	(22) Srr Wm Macewen, Eminent Surgeon, died 1924.
24 I hui	Conseceation of St Blane's Royal Arch Chapter, 163, 1876.
25 F T1	(26) Week's Missionary Campaign in Bute began, 1923.
	(27) Lieut Fullarton Boag killed at the Front, 1916.
	Lieut. James B Lawson killed at the Front, 1918
	Thomas Gilmour, Kilchattan Tile Works died, 1916. RevWm Galbraith, Bridgend U F Church, Rothesay, d, '22
20 Wod	Capt. M <sup>e</sup> Nicol, Bute Goods Steamer, died, 1919.
21 Thre	(30) Robt. Brown, Town Crier. Rothesay, died, 1916.
91 Incl	(00) Root. Drown, Town Orier. Rothesay, cled, 1916.

The Oban Times . . "This able annual has, in its latest number, all the features which have made it of use and importance to those connected in any way with the County of Bute."

This Directory is the reference book to which all—whether strangers or residenters—turn for information concerning the resources available in town and county for business or pleasure. It is not only found throughout the whole county of Bute, but also in the public libraries throughout the British Isles. It is the only publication of the kind printed and published in Buteshire.—Greenock Herald,

April,	Calendar-Anniversaries, etc.
	Robert III died in Rothesay Castle, 1406.
2 Sat	Opening of Turnstiles on Rothesay Pier, 1917.
3 Sun	Sudden death of James Kay, Forester on Bute Estate, 1917
	Ninian Duneau, Grain Merchant, Rothesay, died 1919.
	(6) John Maefie, retired Farmer, died at Ardbeg. 1923.
	(7) Rev W T Smellie inducted to Rothesay Parish, 1925
	Rev Jas Girvan, M.A., inducted to Nth. Bute U.F. Ch., 1914
8 Fri	Lord Bute offered Skeoch Wood to Burgh of Rothesay, 1912
9 Sat	Presentations to Jas Sinelair & Jn Morrison, on retiral, '23
10 Sun	James Hunter, Rothesay's oldest shopkeeper, died, 1911.
	Capt. Robt. M'Fie, late harbourmaster, Rothesay, died, 1913
12 Tues	Ex-Bailie Wm Lyle sworn as Hon Sheriff Substitute, 1917
13 Wed	Inspr. Wm David apptd. Chief Constable of Rothesay, 1923
	A. D. Maebeth, gave £1500 to maintain free Pier, 1917.
15 Fri	Golden Wedding of James and Mrs Smith, Rothesay, 1912.
16 Sat	Lieut J A Miller, Port-Bannatyne, killed at the Front, '17.
17 Sub	Roth. Boy Seouts New Hall opened by Sir Jn. Reid, 1915.
18 Mon	John Smith, Fishmonger, Rothesay, died 1923.
19 Tues	Sudden death of George Stuart, florist, Rothesay, 1912.
	Rev J Townsley, inducted, Kilehattan Bay U F Ch., 1922.
21 Thur	(22) Rev. Alex Stirling, Rothesay Free Church, died, 1907
22 Fri	(23) St George's Day.
23 Sat	George M Allison, Pier Turnstiles, died 1922.
24 Sun	John Patienee, bootmaker, Rothesay, died 1916.
	(26) Rothesay Charity Organisation Society formed, 1909.
	Rev Maleolm Smith, MA, instituted in St Paul's, Roth., '23
27 Wed	Duke of Rothesay visited Arran, 1914
28 Thur	(27) Captain John Williamson died at Nice, 1922.
29 Fri	Lieut John Wilson Alexander torpd. in Mediterranean, '18
30 Sat	Rev Neil M'Dougall, Rothesay Gaelic Church, died, 1906.

#### LONG LIVE THE BUTE DIRECTORY

The **Opinions** of the **Press** and the **Acknowledgments** of **Libraries** are as complimentary as ever. The "Glasgow Evening News" makes the following appreciation of "**Local Colour.**—The compilers of the Bute County Directory have an ingenious method of making up the local colour and stimulating local pride. Instead of filling up the Calendar with the stock anniversaries, they have put against each date a local happening," Thus—[Two events mentioned]. "It is certainly an idea that makes for 'atmosphere.'"

Don't Delay to Send along your Orders for the New Issue.

May, 1927.	Calendar-Anniversaries, etc.
1 Sun	Sir Thomas Lipton's steam yacht "Erne, mined, 1916
2 Mon	
	Consecration of Cumbrae Cathedral, 1876.
	Garden Party for Red Cross at Mountstuart, 1916.
	F. W. F. Clark installed P. G. M. M. at Rothesay, 1916.
	H R Keay appointed County Aseessor, 1924
	HJG Ross appointed headmaster of Roth. Pub. Sch., 1906.
	(7) Lieut. John Wilson Alexander died in Great War, 1918.
	Alfred W Herbert, County Clerk of Buteshire, died, 1923
	(11) Foundation Stone of Rothesay Academy laid, 1868.
	(12) Thomson Home, Rotnesay opened 1626
	Rev Daniel M Stewart. MA, inducted to Kingarth, 1926
	(12) Ascog Water Supply for Rothesay adopted, 1856.
	(15) George Hicks & Son, Chemists, estab. in Rethesay, 1826
	(16) Scot. Tram. Officials Annual Congress at Rothesay, '24,
	Amalgamation of Buteshire and Rothesay Burgh Police, 1923
	Ordination of Rev James Esselmont, in Bridgend, 1923.
	(17) 2nd Anl. Mtg. of Scot. Tramway Assn., Rothesay, 1924.
	(18) Rev John Dickie, B.D., inducted to New Rothesay, 1911
	(19) Lieut. John M'Donald Smith, killed at the Front, 1916
	(20) Swing Bridge, Rothesay Mid Pier opened, 1908.
	Thomas Reid, retired schoolmaster, Arran, died, 1910
	(24) John G. Heron, baker, Rothesay, died, 1920.
	Queen Victoria born, 1819. Empire Day.
	(24) George Prentice, Clothier, Rothesdy, died 1925
	John McCord, builder, Rothesay, died 1915
	Daniel Duncan, Woodend, died 1915. (27) A. B. Stewart, Convener of the County, died 1880.
	Rev Alistair Mackenzie, Ind. to E U F Ch, Millport, 1924.
	(31) N. H Constable appointed factor on Bute Estate, 1920.
	Rothesay Entertainment Pavilion, Esplanade. opened 1924.

#### IS ESPERANTO WORTH LEARNING?

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The forty fourth edition of this useful hand-book has just been published, and is brimful of information regarding the County of Bute. The public officials, lists of householders and business prople in this popular health resort will be most serviceable, and, notwithstanding the greatly increased cost of production, the pre-war price of two shillings has been maintained. \*— Helensburgh and Garelook Times, 39/23.

	1110	Calendar—Anniversaries, etc.
		Captain James McCrone, died at Rothesay, aged 90, 1923.
		(3) Sir John Reid, Ardencraig, knighted, 1918.
		King George V, born, 1865.
4		Arthur Swanston, grocer, Rothesay, died 1917.
5	Sun	(4) Albert Pier, Rothesay, opened, 1909.
		(5) 20a Skota Esperanto Kongreso, opened at Largs, '25
		(8) Major Peter Oouper, OBE, died at Glasgow, 1925
8	Wed	(9) Our Manager's Jubilee as a Printer and Publisher, 191
		(10) Marquis of Graham apptd. Lord-Lieut. of Buteshire, '2
10	Fri	Rev J R Howe ordinined-inducted to Chapelhlll U F Ch, '2
		Marchioness of Bute appointed D C, O B E, 1918.
		(1) Rev J B Scott inducted to Kildonan U F Church, '25
		Presbyterial Presentation to Miss Marianne Mackinlay, '23
		Lady Mary Hamilton and Marquis of Graham mar., 1906.
		(12) Inauguration of Bridgend U. F. Church organ, 1910
		Amalgamation of Bute and Rothesay Police Forces, 1923.
	Fri	(18) Battle of Waterloo, 1815.
	Sat	(19) Opening of Bridgend New U. F. Church, 1909.
		(20) Sir Charles Dalrymple, late M.P. for Bute, died 1916
		Marquis of Bute born, 1881.
		Golden Wedding of Wm and Mrs Hunter, Rothesay, 1916.
		King George V crowned, 1911
		Duke of Rothesay born, 1894 (24) Bannockburn Day, 1314
		Rev Joseph Traill inducted to U. F. Parish Ch., Roth., 1902.
		Rev Adam Hunter inducted to Rothesay Free Ch., 1913
		Rev. J. J. Dawson, St Andrew's R C Ch, Roth., died 1903.
		Welcome Home of Marquis and Marchioness of Graham, 1906
		(27) Telephonic Communication with Arran opened, 1923, (28) Rev William Winter, Ascog U F Church, died 1924.
		(28) Australian Public School boys visited Rothesay, 1924.
90		(30) Rothesav Aquarium opened, 1875.

\*We heartily thank our Helensburgh friends. They themselves also publish a useful directory for their town and environs, and they know what they are speaking about. Recently they said our publication was "a marvel of cheapness." Well, our pre-war price was only 1s. Our secret is, because our pre-war vigour remains: long may it have cause to continue! The directory is the only one provided with a loop for hanging in an open convenient place for reference, and not hid away in a desk or drawer—sometimes even in a safe (!) Our advertising friends will be pleased to learn that our free list is increasing. "Sweet are the uses of advertisement!" [1f we raised the price of our directory to 4s or 5s it would still sell, but the circulation would be very much curtailed. Our advertising patrons are well worth encouraging: without their assistance the cost would be nearer £4 or £5 a copy. The greatest cost is in producing the first copy: after that, the more the merrier. The size of the Directory is now double that of war time]. Advertising spaces now being let for next issue.

#### COUNTY OF BUTE.

THE COUNTY OF BUTE comprises the seven islands in the Firth of Clyde, viz
—BUTE, the most populous; ARRAN, the largest; the GREAT and LITTLE
CUMBRAES, off the Ayrshire Coast; Holy Isle and PLADDA, off Arran; and InchMARNOCK, off Bute.

The total Area of the County (land and water, exclusive of tidal water) is 139,658 acres, of which 53,510 are mountain and heath lands used for grazing. 3,806 acres are under plantations, and 794 are covered with water. There are 25,981 acres under all kinds of crops, bare fallow and grass, which is a gradual inroad on the mountain heath and hitherto uncultivated land.

The principal Industries are agriculture, horticulture, and fishing The islands possess great and varied natural attractions, and are in the forefront as holiday resorts.

The **Population** of the County (including its Burghs of ROTHESAY and MILLPORT) in 1801 was 11,791; 1831, 14,151; 1861, 16,331; 1881, 17,657. In 1891 it was 18,248 (8,057 males and 10,197 females); and in 1901, 18,786 (8,412 males and 10,374 females)—being an increase of 255 in the ten years—2·1 per cent There were 4,270 inhabited houses in the islands.

For 1911, the figures were as follows:---

	maies.	remaies.	Total.	Revised total.
Arran	2,169	2,402	4,571	4,628*
Bute (including Rothesay)	5,081	6,781	11,799	11,851
Cumbrae	704	992	1,696	1,707
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\*The increased total issued in the Quarterly Return of the Registrar-General compared with the returns lodged with the Sheriff-Clerk,

may be accounted for by the enumeration of the shipping.

the decreases since 1901 are as follows: Arran, 209; Bute, 330; Cumbrae, 62—601.

The population at the postponed 1921 census [taken in June instead of April] for the county, was 33,711 (13,880 males and 19,831 females)—being an increase of 15,525 over 1911.

VALUATION.—The RENTAL, as ascertained at the Valuation Courts, is as follows:

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Burgh of Rothesay .	£108,091 12 9	111,694 18 1	113,225 15 4
Tramways, Rothesay		687 0 0	739 0 0
,, North Bute .	2,185 14 7	2,422 0 0	2,361 0 0
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The Fiars Prices, by which the parish ministers' stipends are regulated, were struck in the Sheriff Court, Rothesay, for crop of the previous year, as follows:—

1777			1922			192	3	•	1924	Į.		1925	;
Wheat per	r quarter,		•••										
Barley	11	£2	0	0	£2	0	2	£2		1	£2	0	0
Oats	12	1	7	3	1	8	1	1	10	8	1	9	10분
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Beans	,,		•••										
Oatmeal,	boll,	1	3	5	1	4		1	5	21	1	5	4
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#### AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS and ASSESSMENTS -County of Bute.

AGRICULTURAL RETURNS issued by the Scottish Box	rd.		1911.	1925. Acres.
Total Area (excluding water)			139,658	139,658
Total Acreage under CROPS and GRASS in BUTESHIRE,			25,553	25,411
Arable Land,			14,830	15,146
Permanent Grass			10,723	10,265
Corn Crops— Wheat	·	,	15	1
Barley ,	,	<i>'</i>	22	10
Oats		,	4,732	4,739
Mixed Corn ,	,		•••	2
Rye ,			60	37
Beans	٠		44	10
Peas			4	2
Green Crops - Potatoes			998	1,088
Turnips and Swedes ,			1,325	1,235
Mangold	٠		10	4
Cabbage			25 67	17
Rape ,			1	49 27
Small Fruit			66	15
Rye-Grass and other Rotation Grasses and Clover	•		7,361	7,707
Other Crops		•	15	19
Bare Fallow			85	184
Acreage Occupied by Tenants, , .			24,499	23,683
Occupied by Owners			1,054	1,728
			No., 1911	No 1925
Holdings above 1 and not exceeding 5 acres ,,			81	84
,, 5 ,, 50 ,, ,,		•	$\frac{339}{127}$	326
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Total haldings		•	555	559
Horses (including Horses used for Agricultural Purposes)			1,283	1.250
Cattle			9,241	8,796
Sheep , , ,			43,815	39,212
Pigs,			740	670

FISHERY.—The members of the FISHERY BOARD for SCOTLAND are as follows:— David T Jones, CBE, chairman; W Lyon Mackenzie, K C, Sheriff of Ayrshire, legal member and deputy chairman; Professor D'Arcy Wentworth Thomson, CB, scientific member; sir John Irvine, Aberdeen; sir Malcolm Smith, ex-Provost of Leith; William Miller, J P, Wick; and George Hall, Aberdeen.

George Hogarth, Assistant Secretary.

Alex E Mackenzie, Chief Inspector of Sea Fisheries.

Head Office, 101 George Street, Edinburgh

Local Office, 2 Oswald street, Glasgow. Local Officer, Alex Stephen

At the end of 1925 there were In the Rothesay district 75 registered fishing boats, manned by 194 resident fishermen and boys.

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#### PART II.

#### OFFICIALS.

#### COUNTY OF BUTE.

Lieutenancy.—Lord Lieutenant and High Sheriff, Duke of Montrose, CB, CVO, DeputyLieutenants.—Major CN MacRae, Richard Carnaby-Foster, Lieut-Colonel M'Leod Robertson, DSO, Millport; George Laidler, Brodick; and the Provost of Rothesay

Clerk, John M Lamont, M B E, Rothesay.

Member of Parliament.—For Parliamentary purposes Buteshire is joined with North Ayrshire. At the General Election, December, 1923, the candidates were—Lieut General Sir Aylmer Hunter-Weston, KCB, DSO. Hunterston, Ayrshire, (Coalition Unionist), who polled 12,320; and P Stephen (Labour), who polled 9.855.

Constituency—The Roll of Parliamentary Voters is printed twice annually: the recently-issued list shows the number in Buteshire to be — Cumbrae, 1,768; North Bute, 1,207; Rothesay, 6,390; Kingarth, 628; Kilbride, 1,437; Kilmory, 1,047; total, 12,477. (Last roll, 12,794).

Auxiliary Forces.—Territorial Army—Buteshire Association—President, His Grace the Duke of Montrose, c.b., c.v.o. Military members -- Major Geo Hicks, M.c., t.p., k.g.a., (t.); major A.H. Hill, M.c., R.G.A., (t.); lieut.-colonel A. C. Ginter, d. Dso, r.a.; Major Andrew Morrell M'Kinlay, td., r.g., a., vice-chairman; (t.); Colonel Colin M'Leod Robertson, dso, td., r.d., (t.), (chairman). Representative member (County Council), Major Colin N. MacRae, c. b. E., d. l., d. p., bl. Res of Officers, voe of Gd. Co-opted members--R B. Fife, Alexander M'Intyre and ex-Provost E.R. Macmillan.

Secretary, Lieut James Alexander, T F res, 78 St Vincent st, Glasgow.

ARTILLERY-50th (Bute) Pack Battery R A

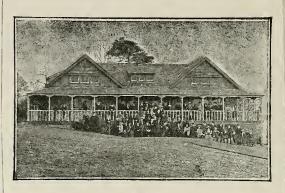
National Service Scheme—County of Bute—Ex-Provost M'Millau and ex-Bailie Lyle, Rothesay; George Laidler, Brodick; John M Lamont, Port-Bannatyne; James P Malcom, Edinbeg, North Bute; George K Baillie, Kingarth; ex-Provost Cockburn, Millport; and James Crawford, Cumbrae

Assessments.— The following local rates are imposed by the County Council, viz:—

County Consolidated Assessment—General, Valuation of
Lands, Registration of Voters, Lunacy, Police, Diseases
of Animals, and General Purposes (including Tuberculous)

Occupiers.
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On the BUTE District-Roads, 1	/0	1/0	On the Arr.	an Distri	ct—	
Public Health	3d	3d	Roads, -	-	- 2s 0d	2s 0d
Port-Bannatyne Drainage,	0d	0d	Health, -	_	- 1	d 1d
Kilchattan Bay Drainage,	0d	0d	Brodick Sca	venging,	- 3	d 3d
Kilchattan Bay Water Supply,	7d	7 d	Catacol Wa	ter Snppl	y 1s 6d	1 1s 6d
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			District	Health	3	d 3d



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#### PUBLIC OFFICIALS-County of Bute.

- Sheriff Court.—Bute is joined with Renfrew. The Court meets at ROTHESAY on Thursday forenoons at 11 o'clock. Circuit Small Debts Courts meet quarterly at BRODICK, Arran, on the third Wednesdays in March, June and November, and about the end of September; and at MILLPORT, Cumbrae, in March and September. Sheriff Principal, Jas Mercer Irvine, KC. Sheriff-Substitute, Thomas J Martin, MA, advocate. Hon Sheriff-Substitutes, Wm Lyle and George Hicks, Rothesay; Colonel M Gray Buchanan, Port-Bannatyne; William Patrick, Craigenross, Millport; and James J Morton, Brodick
  - Clerk, Thomas W Alexander. Clerks-Depute--Rothesay, Jas M Matheson; Lamlash J A MacRae; Millport, James Stewart. Procurator-Fiscal, William Grant. Depute, James Mackinnon. Nautical Assessors, Captains A Wood, 6 Morgan ter, Maryfield, Dundee; D Macdonald, 39 Kelly st, Greenock; Alex Coull, Braeriach Quadrant road, Newlands, Glasgow: Michael Benson, 6 Bank st, Greenock: Robert G Tait, 28 Ardgowan st (West), Greenock: Captain Archibald M Jackson, 4 Castle Gardens, Gourock; and Captain Robert Bryce, 29 Maxwell Drive, Pollokshields, Glasgow. Medical Referees appointed under the Workmen's Compensation Acts: -Buteshire - John Marshall, MD, Rothesay; Island of Arran, A Freeland Fergus, Glasgow; and David Birrell Campbell, MBCM, 34 Anderson road, Saltcoats. Specialist for Industrial Disease—pr John Glaister, 3 Newton place, west, Glasgow: and Dr Alexander Scott, 4 Newton terrace, Glasgow. For Ophthalmic cases - Dr A Maitland Ramsay, 15 Woodside place, Glasgow. Divisional Inspector of Mines -- Scotland District -- J Masterton, M B E, 59 Cockburn st, Edinburgh. Sheriff-Officers, Alexander Campbell Watergate, and Walter McKendrick, Watergate, Rothesay; James Boyd, Dalry; John Brown, Ayr; John Albert Carson, 8 Duke st, Kilmarnock; Joseph McCulloch, Ardrossan; Henry Devlin and Jas Richmond, 13 Hamilton st, Greenock; Patrick F Skelton, 28 King st, Port-Glasgow; Jas Crossley, 116 St Vincent st, and Jas Paton, Glasgow: John Stuart. Gourock; Wm C Gibson, Greenock; and T Morrison MaArthur, Glasgow

Auditor, T W Alexander. Keeper of Court-House and Bar Officer, Mat. C Stewart The CIRCUIT COURT for Buteshire meets six times a year in Glasgow

- Justices of the Peace.—Quarter Sessions are held at Rothesay on first Tuesdays of March, May and August, and last Tuesday of October; and Courts of Petty Sessions are held as required
  - JSLE OF BUTE -- Ex-Provosts Robert C. Miller and Jas Fisher, Rothesay; James A Walker, Glasgow; and Robert Burness, Prestwick; ex-Bailies M'Bride, Buchanan, Muir, Lyle and Cunningham; Wm Hunter, builder; sir John Reid, Ardencraig; Thos Barr, Rothesay; James C Sinclair; and captain Geo Miller, Rothesay; colonel Michael R Gray Buchanan, Ettrickdale; John Ferguson, Rothesay; and Arch Malcom, Port-Bannatyne

Appointed in 1920.

Thomas W Alexander, Sheriff Clerk; George K Baillie, Langalbuinoch, Kingarth; Andrew Clark, Glebelands; John Cunningham. Moredun, Craignore; Mrs Mary Fisher, Orlington; Thomas Gilmour, Tile Works. Kingarth; Andrew Hamilton, grocer, Rothesay; James Howatt, Ardmory road; John M Lamont, Clerk to Lieutenancy; pr Jas B Lawson, Rothesay; ex-Provost E R Macmillan, Rothesay; Major Colin MacRae and the Lady Margaret MacRae; Feorline, Argyllshire; Alex M'Intyre, farmer, Dunalunt; Andrew M M'Kinlay, architect, ex-Provost Jas M'Millan, o B E, Rothesay Jas P Malcom, Edinbeg; Arch Montgomerie, auctioneer; and Jas Wilson, sen, Port-Bannatyne

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ISLAND OF ARRAN—John Spiers, Bennecarrigan; James M'Gregor, Kirkmuirhill, Lanarkshire; John B Sweet, Brodick; Jas Hodge, piermaster, Lannlash; James M'Kinnon, farmer, Whiting Bay; Robert Kerr, jun, piermaster, Lochranza; George Laidler, Brodick; Jas John Morton, Machrie; John Brown, Corriecravie; Alex Spiers, Clachaig; and Alex N M'Neil, Kildonan

#### Appointed in 1920.

- Robert Anderson, blacksmith, Pirnmill; Peter Baird, farmer, Tormore, Machrie: Wm Brown, farmer, Shedog; His Grace the Duke of Montrose and Her Grace the Duchess of Montrose, O B E. Brodick Castle; Wm Hamilton, St Quivox, Whiting Bay; Enoch B Hastngs, Corrie; Dr Jamieson, Brodick: Donald Mackenzie, jun., farmer, King's Cross: Peter Mackenzie, farmer, Catocol; John M'Bride, farmer, Shannochie: Neil Robertson, farmer, Shiskine; and Dr Thomas Rutherford, Shedog.

  Appointed in 1926.
  - Arch Currie, Brodick pier: James C Inglis, Brodick; John W Inglis, Lamlash; Alex C Lennox, Whiting Bay; Donald M'Kelvie, Lamlash; Donald M'Millau, Lochranza; Mrs Mary Stewart Oar, Corric Honse; and John Taylor, Wbiting Bay
- CUMBRAE-Ex-Provosts Rowatt and Clark, and Jas C Sharpe

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- Clerk, Thomas W Alexander. Depute, James M Matheson; Procurator-Fiscal, William Grant. Water Bailiff, Charles Wright Morris, 24 Charlotte sq, Edin burgh.
- County Licensing Court.--George K Baillie, Kingarth; James P Malcom, North Bute; Thomas Barr, Rothesay; ex-Baillie James M'Bride, Rothesay; George Laidler, Brodick; John M Lamont, Port-Bannatyne; Major Norman H Constable, Rothesay; and John Crawford, Portyre.
- County Licensing Appeal Court.—Appointed by the Justices of the Peace—ExBailies James Cunningham. Robert Miller, and Willm Lyle, and Willin Hunter,
  Rothesay; David Cockburn, Glasgow; Thos Gilmour, Kingarth; and Andrew M
  M'Kinlay, Rothesay. Appointed by the County Council—Donald M'Kenzie jun,
  King's Cross; Wm Brown, Shedog; Donald M'Kelvie, Lamlash: Peter Nicol,
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County Council.—Convener, George Laidler, Brodick. Vice-Convener, John M'N Lamont, Port-Bannatyne.

Members representing Electoral Divisions: -

Arran—Corrie -- William Stewart Orr. Brodick -- George Laidler, Strabane Lamlash--Donald Mackelyie. Whiting Bay--Don Mackenzie, jun. Lochranza— Peter Mackenzie, Dougarie—James John Morton, Machrie. Shedog--Wm Brown South End--Peter Nicol, Dippen

BUTE—Port-Bannatyne (East)---John M Lamont, Fernbank. Port-Bannatyne (West), William Scott, Ardgowan. North End--Major Colin MacRae, Feorlinn. Mountstuart--Norman H Constable. Kilchattan Bay- George K Baillie

CUMBRAE—John Crawford, Portyre. Millport (East)--Col. C. M<sup>1</sup>L. Robertson, Millport (West)--John Rowatt.

Appointed by Rothesay Town Council — Provost Geo Hicks, Bailie Maclachlan, Treasurer Arch Brown and Dean of Guild Duncan Brown

- Officials. County Clerk and Treasurer David Arnot. Rothesay. District Collectors,: Kilbride William Rough, Lamlash. Kilmory, Duncan M'Alister, Sliddery. North Bute--Arch Brown, Port-Bannatyne. Kingarth --W T Esplin, Cumbrae -- Jas Stewart, Millport. County Anditor --- William Sharp, ca., 43; West George Street, Glasgow. Chief Constable --- John Robertson, County Buildings, Rothesay. Assessor and Registration Officer, H R Keay, Castle Street, Rothesay. County Medical Officer Professor J R Currie, Glasgow. Sanitary Inspector and District Road Surveyor —Wm Dunlop Brown, County Buildings, Rothesay. Inspector of Weights and Measures—Wm Clark, County Buildings, Love St. Paisley; assistant, Robt Adams. Veterinary Inspector, —Wm Moodie & Son, MRCVS., Rothesay. County Analysts, McCowan and Biggart, Greenock.
- Committees of the County Council ROAD BOARD --- George Laidler (chairman), major MacRae, James John Morton, Wm Scott, Donald M'Kelvie, John M Lamont, C M'Leod Robertson, Wm Brown, Dnld M'Kenzie, jun, John Crawford, Peter Nicol, G K Baillie, W Stewart Orr, N H Constable and John Rowatt
  - VALUATION—George Laidler (chairman), John M Lamont, James John Morton Wm Brown, Donald M'Kelvie, C M'Leod Robertson, John Rowatt, Don M'Kenzie, jun, Peter M'Nicol, Peter M'Kenzie, W Stewart Orr, Major MacRae, Wm Sdott, Geo K Baillie and John Crawford

Appeal Courts held in September at Brodick, Millport and Rothesay

- FINANCE.-John M Lamont (chairman); major Colin MacRae, Donald Mackelvie, George Laidler, Don Mackenzie, jun, James J Morton, Peter Nicol, William Scott, George K Baillie, John Rowatt, Peter McKenzie, Wm Brown, W Stewart Orr, N H Constable and John Crawford. Sub-Committee--major MacRae, Wm Wm Scott, John M Lamont, G K Baillie and N H Constable
- EXECUTIVE Committee under Diseases of Animals Act -- Wm Brown (chairman) Donald M'Kenzie, jun, Major Colin MacRae, Jas J Morton, Peter M'Kenzie Donald M'Kelvie, Bailie Maclachlan, nean of Guild D Brown, Wm Scott, G K Baillie, N H Constable, John Rowatt John Crawford, George Laidler and John M Lamont
- STANDING JOINT—Sheriff Martiu (chairman). Appointed by Commissioners of Supply--George Laidler, John M Lamont, N H Constable, Hugh Lamont and the provost of Millport. Appointed by the County Council—Donald Mackelvie, James John Morton, Wm Scott, C M'Leod Robertson and John Rowatt

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  - Appointed to Court of Appeal--Wm Brown, Duld, Mackelvie, Duld Mackenzie jr, Peter Nicol, Wm Scott, John Rowatt, and C M'Leod Robert. 0:
  - BOARD of CONTROL Members appointed by the County Council—Peter Nicol James Wilson, G K Baillie, and John Rowatt
  - Prison--Appointed for visiting the Prison at Greenock-ex-Provost Rowatt and John M Lamont
  - DISTRICT Committees: ARRAN-GCo Laidler (chairman); W Stewart Orr, Donald Mackelvie, Donald Mackenzie, jun. James J Morton, Wm Brown, Peter Nicol and Peter Mackenzie
  - Appointed by the Parish Councils--Kilbride: James Bone, Glenhill, Lamlash, Kilmory: Angus M'Alister, farmer, Torbeg, Shiskine
  - Clerk and Treasurer, Geo Robertson, Strabane, Brodick. Medical Officer, Dr Rutherford, Shiskine, Road Surveyor and Sanitary Inspector, Andw Crockett
  - Bute--John M Lamont, (chairman); Major MacRae, N H Constable, Jas Wilson and G K Baillie. Appointed by Parish Councils--The Gilmour, Kingarth; and Hugh K Orr, N Bute
    - Clerk and Treasurer, David Arnot, Rothesay. Medical Officer, pr J S Hall Sanitary Inspector and Road Surveyor, W D Brown, County Buildings
  - CUMBRAE—Colin M'Leod Robertson, John Rowatt and John Crawford, Portyre, Clerk, Treasurer and Road Surveyor, Jas Stewart, Millport, Medical Officer G W Thomson; Sanitary Inspector, W D Brown, Rothesay
- Commissioners of Supply—John M Lamont, (convener); John Ferguson, George Laidler, N H Constable, and the Provost of Millport Clerk, David Arnot, Rothesay
- District Board of Control—Provost Hicks, ex-Provosts James M'Millan and E R Macmillan and ex-Bailie Buchana", Rothesay; James Wilson, Port-Bannatyne; Peter M'Nicol, Arran; John Rowatt, Millport; and George K Baillie, Kingarth Clerk, John M Lamont, Rothesay
- County Police.—The County and Burgh Police Forces were amalgamated on 16th May, 1923. Head-Quarters, County Buildings, Rothesay. Chief Conatable John Roberson, Esq. Superintendent and Deputy Chief, William David, Rothesay
  - Island of Bute Division—Sergeants Alex Gray and Alex Gunn. Stations—Kilchattan Bay, Port-Bannatyne and Burgh of Rothesay
  - Island of Arran Division—Inspector, John Angus MacRae, Lamlash Stations— Brodick, Lamlash. Lochranza, Skiskine and Whiting Bay
  - Island of Cumbrae Division Sergeant John Cassels, Millport. Station Millport The annual report for 1925 for the County Section states that there was an absence
  - of scrious crime in the county. There were 15 cases of sudden death, 2 fatal accidents, 10 non-fatal accidents and 8 fires during the year. 8 pedlars' certificates were granted
  - The annual report for the Burgh of Rothesay for 1925 states that no crime of a serious nature was committed within the burgh. There are 35 premises licensed for the sale of exciseable liquors. viz., 19 public houses, 6 hotels and 10 licensed grocers.







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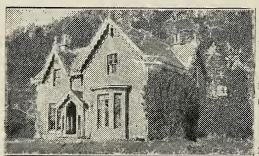
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- Buteshire Educational Authority.—Rev John M Dickie (chairman), Right Rev Hugh Cameron, Dr James Stewart Hall, George Hicks, John Maclachlan and James M'Millan. Rothesay; Norman Huntly Constable, James P Malcom, Rev Archibald Grierson and N K Turnbull for Kingarth, North Bute and Cumbrae; George Laidler, Brodick; John M M'Leod, Pirnmill; James Bone and Charles M'Alister, Lamlash, for Arran
  - Adviser, Harry J G Ross, M A; Clerk and Treasurer, Wm Grant; Auditor, James Mackinnon, all of Rothesay.
  - Finance Committee—Provost Hicks (convener), Rev A Grierson, Messrs G Laidler N H Constable, J Maclachlan, and J McMillan,
  - Bursary Committee Revs A Grierson (convener), W Macleod and H Cameron, Dr Hall, and Messrs G Laidler J P Malcom and J M McLeod
  - Religious Knowledge-Bailie Jn Maclachlan (convener) Dr Hall, and Messrs J P Malcom, C M'Allister and N K Turnbull
  - School Management Committee—Bute—The seven local members of the Authority (two as parents' representatives and one representating transferred schools), one from Rothesay Town Council, one from North Bute Parish Council, one from Kingarth Parish Council, and two teachers' representatives.
  - Arran—The four local members of the Authority, two parents' representatives, two representatives from each Parish Council, and two teachers' representatives.
  - Cumbrae —The two local members of the Authority, one representative from Millport Town Council, one member from Cumbrae Parish Council, one parents representative, and one teachers' representative.
- Property and Income Tax Commissioners—Sir John Reid, Ardencraig; ex-provost E R Macmillan, and ex-bailie Lyle, Rothesay; John Ferguson, Pointhouse John M Lamont Port-Bannatyne: George Laidler, Brodick; J B Sweet, Lamlash; and Sheriff Irvine, or in his absence, Sheriff Martin, ex-officio
  - Clerk, Thomas W Alexander, Rothesay. Inspector, R M'Curdie, Greenock. Collector, Peter Ferguson, Dunoon
- National Health Insurance.—The granting of exemptions are dealt with by the Customs and Excise Department
  - BUTESHIRE COMMITTEE. Chairman, ex-Bailie Donald Buchanan; vice-chairman, Provost Hicks. The other members include the following ladies and gentlemen, viz.:—Jas Brown, Clifton, Argyle pl: Mrs Campbell, St Regulus; Norman H Constable, Bute estate; E R Finlayson, nurseryman; Mrs Fisher, Orlington; Dr J Stewart Hall, Battery pl; Miss Eliza Harvey, Barone rd; J F Hill, Barone rd; Dr J B Lawson, Battery pl: Dr J M Marshall, Battery; pl ex-Railie Muir, Miss A M'Carthy, Elmbank; Donald M'Fie, Bishop st; Bailie John M'Lachan;

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Secretary-David Arnot, County Clerk, Rothesay

- British Red Cross Society—Buteshire Branch---President, Marchioness of Bute Dbe; Vice-Presidents, the Lady Margaret MacRae of Feorlinnn, Obe, Jp and Mrs Philips, Tourville, Millport; County Director and Controller, the Lady Margaret MacRae of Feorlinn, Obe, Jp; assistant County Director, Mrs Myles, Wester Kames, Bute; County Secretary -- Major Colin MacRae of Feorlinn, Cbe; County Hon Treasurer, Lady Margaret MacRae, Obe, Jp; Hon Secretary for Cumbrae, Rev A Grierson; Hon Treasurer for Cumbrae Tw. McEwan, Union Bank of Scotland; General Committee, Mrs James M'Millan, Mrs Duncan Dewar, Mrs E R Micmillan, Mrs Myles, Mrs Mnir, Miss Reisberg, Mrs Fisher Jp, Miss McCarthy, Mrs Marshall, Miss Gray-Buchanan, Mrs Dickie, Mrs Hicks, Mrs McWilliam, Miss Greaves, Miss Galbraith and co-opted members Mrs Cochran
  - T A A members co-opted—colonel Colin M'Leod Robertson,, D S O, D T, D L, and Major A M M'Kinlay, TD
- War Pensions RENFREW, ARGYLE AND BUTE AREA—The following are the Committee's representatives from Buteshire: J T McKay, Millport, and John M Lamont, M B E, Rothesay
  - Head-Office, Public Library Bnildings, Greenock: Chief Officer, Duncan C Kerr. Soldiers' and Sailors' Families Association: Arran--mrs Sweet; Miss Allan, Shiskine; and George Laidler, Brodick
    - Bute--Lady Margaret MacRae, C B E; Mrs Dickie, New Rothesay manse; and Colonel M R Gray Buchanan, O B E Cumbrae--Miss Goldie, Millport
  - Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society-J R Campbell, Clydesdale Bank
  - Rothesay Representative to Joint-Disablement Committee--John M Lamont, M B E Do. Do. Scot. Assoc. L W P C captain J Maclachlan
  - Soldiers' Sailors' and Airmen's Families Association—President, Lady Dowager Marchioness of Bute. Vice-President, Marchioness of Graham. Hon Secy, J L Masterton, Bank of Seotland, Rothesay
  - Air League of the British Empire—Representative for Buteshire, J L Masterton, Bank of Scotland, Rothesay
- Old Age Pensions.—All the County Councillors are members, and their powers have been delegated to the Arran. Bute and Cumbrae sub-Committees, as follows:

  ARRAN-George Laidler. J. Morton, Wm Brown, Donald M'Kelvie, Donald M'Kenzie, jun, E B Hastings, Peter Nicol and Peter M'Kenzie

Clerk, Robert Hamilton. Kincardine, Brodick

Bute (ontside Rothesay) and Cumbrae—John M Lamont, (chairmam), N H Constable, Colin McLeod Robertson, Geo K Baillie, John Rowatt, Colin McRae, James Wilson and John Crawford

#### OFFICIALS--County of Bute.

ROTHESAY Burgh--All the Town Councillors, Clerk, R D Whyte

There are about 150 old age Pensioners in Arran, and 70 in Cumbrae and Bute (outside Rothesay). The number in Rothesay is about 260

- 1nland Revenue.—Collector and Distributor of Stamps, P Ferguson, Dunoon. Sub-Distributor of Stamps and Sub-Collector of Legacy and Succession Duties, Post Office. Surveyor of Taxes, R McCurdie, Greenock
- Customs and Excise.—Collector, Ed Hall, Custom House, Greenock. Surveyor, GW Knott. Officer of Customs and Excise and Pension Officer, WA MfAuslan. Post Office buildings, Store lane
  - The dates of the Pension Committee meetings are--- Burgh of Rothesay, 2nd Tuesday in month. Millport, first Tuesday in month. County of Bute, Bute and Cumbrae sub-Committee, first Tuesday in month.
- Bute Assurance Company. Limited (merged in the State Fire Insurance (Limited)-Local Secretaries, Macbeth & Maclagan
- Political Associations Buteshire Liberal (established 1879), amalgamated with North Ayrshire – President, ex-provost Wm Brown, Largs. Local Secretaries, Miss Margaret M'Nab and Harry R M'Nab. Treasurer, Donald M'Callum
  - Bute and North Ayrshire Unionist Association, with District Associations for Bute, Arran and Cumbrae, and Bute Voters in Glasgow—Hon President, Marquis of Bute; President, Sir John Reid, Ardencraig; vice-President, Charles M'Kay; Secretary, Harry Wrlson. jun Rothesay; Treasurer. Wm C King. Lady representative to Central Scottish Unionist Association, Mrs M'Millan—to act along with the President.
- Royai Northern Yacht Club Club-House, Argyle St. -- Commodore, F J Stephen. Secretary and treasurer, Clubmaster. Neil M'K Boyle Fixtures: Opening Cruise, May 29; Handicap Regatta, June 26; Open Regatta, Rothesay, July 2; Closing Cruise, Sept 4
- Miscellaneous Associations—Buteshire Wine, Spirit and Beer Trade--President, John Watson; Secretary, Jas Galbraith; Treasurer, J A Harvey
  - Buteshire NATURAL HISTORY Society--Museum, Old Mansion House, Rothesay. Patron, the Marquis of Bute. President, Alex G Burgess. Hon Secretary and Treasurer, R D Whyte. Librarian, A F Forrest Meteorologist, J Davidson. Ardencraig
  - Bute, and District Musical Festival Association—Instituted 1924.—Executive Committee—ex-provost E R Macmillan, chairman; Messrs H R Keay, secretary; Duncan Brown, treasurer; A S Christie, D C McCallum, J O McNab, and H J G Ross
  - RAT Campaign in Renfrew and Bute: Representative for Arran Donald M'Kelvie, Lamlash; for Bute, John M Lawrie, Rothesay
  - BOY SCOUTS—County Chairman, Marquis of Bute. County Commissioner, Sir John Reid, Ardencraig, Rothesay. For local companies, see Districts
  - GIRL Guides—Divisional Commissioner, Countess of Eglinton; District Commissioner, miss Dorotha Marshall; County Secretary, miss Gray-Buchanan, Ettrickdale, North Bute.

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GLASGOW BUTE BENEVOLENT SOCIETY, instituted 1867, for the aid of indigent persons belonging to Bute, particularly such as are of advanced age and respectability of character. Subscription for life membership: gentleman, £2 2s; lady, £1 1s. President, James N Kirsop. Secretary and Treasurer, James A M'Leish, 199 St Vincent street, Glasgow. The funds in hand amount to £4,887 18/2. The membership is 189. The donation roll contains the names of 52 perdeserving persons Last year the sum distributed was £181 10s

GLASGOW BUTESHIRE ASSOCIATION,--President, G D Paterson, Rothesay. Hon Secy and Treas, miss J Martin, 5 Cadogan ter, Sandyford, Glasgow.

Glasgow and West of Scotland Society for PREVENTION of CRUELTY to ANIMALS established 1856, to prevent cruelty to animals, and to encourage humanity and gentleness towards animals. President, the Hon the Lord Provost of Glasgow. Chairman, Col K H M Connal. Secretaries and Treasurers, Lowndes, Renwick & Stewart, writers, 28 Bath street, Glasgow Local Inspector, W D Tassie, Superintendent, James Leslie, 28 Bath st, Glasgow. Complaints requiring attention are received at the local Police Offices, or at 28 Bath Street, Glasgow-Stray and unwanted cats can be humanely destroyed in lethal chamber at premises of George Hill. Chemist, 94 Montague st, Rotheray.

BUTE and RENFREW MILK RECORDS Association—President, Sir Hugh Shaw Stewart. Secretary, S Hunter, writer, Paisley. Bute representative, Robert M<sup>c</sup>Alister, Mid-Ascog

Sports—For List of Trophies see Rothesay Section,

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Bute Branch, NATIONAL FARMERS' UNION, including the Islands of Bute and Cumbrae, for dealing with matters relating to the interests of Farmers concerning food control, prices, etc.—President, Alex M'Intyre; Secretary and Treasurer, James Mackinnon, Rothesay

BUTE FARMERS' TRADING SOCIETY (Limited)—President, Wm Hunter, Upper Ettrick. Secretary, Alex Lyon,

Bute Live Stock Improvement Society—Chairman, Alex McIntyre, Danallan Bute. Secretary, —

#### OFFICIALS-Isle of Bute.

- BUTE FANCIERS' SOCIETY, estab. 1902, for the improvement of the various breeds of poultry, pigeons cage-birds and cats.--President, Neil M'Nicol. Secretary, R B Fisher, Thornhill. Treasurer, John M'Crone
- BUTE UNIONIST ASSOCIATION, established 1880. President, Sir John Reid, Ardeneraig. Vice-President, Charles M'Kay, Victoria street. Secretary, Harry Wilson jun, Bishop st. Treasurer, Wm C King
- BUTE AUXILIARY OF THE NATIONAL BIBLE SOCIETY OF SCOTLAND—President Rev Joseph Traill. Secretary, Thos M'Dougall. Treasurer, David E Ritchie, Royal Bank. £60 was sent to the Parent Society last year
- BUTE SABBATH SCHOOL UNION--Meets monthly in one of the Church Halls-President, Interim Secretary and Treasurer, Angus Thompson
- BUTE WOMEN'S TEMPERANCE PRAYER UNION.—Meets in the Good Templar Hall every Thursday afternoon at 3.30. President, Mrs John Watson, 1 Barone rd. Secretary, Mrs Maitland. Treasurer, Mrs Andrews
- COMUNN GAIDHEALACH BHOID—To promote the cultivation of the Gaelic language, literature, music, art and industries—President, the Marchioness of Bute Convener of Committees, captain James Kennedy. Treasurer, Archd Campbell, Secretary, J W Campbell, jun, Black Bull Inn
- BUTE CAMANACHO CLUB.—President, ex-provost Jas M'Millan; Secretary, John M'Donald
- Food Production Bute District Executive Agricultural Committee Chairman, Alex M'Intyre, Dunallan
  - RED CROSS SOCIETY, see County lists, page 31.
  - Ministry of LABOUR—Branch EMPLOYMENT Office.—Branch Manager, William Campbell, 45 Watergate
  - BUTE AND COWAL COLPORTAGE MISSION.--- Bute Chairman, Bute ministers in rotation. Secretary, Rev Jas Esselmont. Treasurer, J L Masterton. Colporteur, Geo Malloch
  - ROYAL SAMARITAN HOSPITAL, Glasgow (for treatment of respectable poor women afflicted with diseases peculiar to their sex)—Rothesay superintendent, Mrs Turnbull, Dunmore, Craigmore; Collectors, Mrss Turnbull, J. Duncan, Stewart and Turpie: and Miss M, Dougall Port-Bannatyne superintendent and Collector, Macdonald, Bay View

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#### Parish and Burgh of Rothesay.

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Thirty years ago the landward portion of the Parish of Rothesay being amalgamated with North Bute, henceforth, for secular purposes, the boundary of

the parish is the same as that of the burgh.

Duke of Rothesay—The Heir Apparent to the Throne, HRH Prince Edward of Wales. Keeper of the Great Seal, Andrew Graham Murray, Baron Dunedin

(For Courts and Court Officials, Justices of the Peace, and County Boards, see County Lists.)

Heritors' Committee—Provost Hicks (convener), ex-Bailies Buchanan and M<sup>e</sup>Bride messrs R D Whyte, N H Constable, James Cunningham and John Cunningham Clerk—William Grant, Watergate

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Births, 164; Deaths, 138; marriages, 52 in 1924 ,, 141; ,, 122; ,, 52 1925

Last year, 22 deaths were of non-residents, and the largest number were over 70 Session Clerk—Andrew Clark, Gleubuie, Glebe lands

Constituencies.—The Roll shows the Parliamentary voters to number 5963, and the Municipal, 6103

Population.—In 1871, 7,760; 1881, 8,291; 1891, 9034; 1901, 9323; 1911, 9299; 1821 (taken in June instead of April), 16,123

Ward No.1, 815 males: 1486 females: 2310, total

	2, 982	1441	2423		
	3, 1145	1545	2899		
	4, 1284	1677	2961		
	5, 1149	1469	2630		
	6, 793	1411	2304		
Valuation of Burgh	1924	1	925	1926	
Ward No. I,	£15,410 0		3 15 6		2
II,	13,895 4		9 17 1	14,533 13	2
III,	17,232 4		1 12 0	17,815 7	4
IV,	23,262 11		2 11 4	24,429 15	8
V,	18,265 13	5 18,77	5 9 8	18,950 0	0
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  - Burghat—The Town Conneil have imposed 4s 5d per £1 for Burgh General and other Assessments—equally divided between landlord and tenant.
  - Land Tax and Registration of Births, &c, 0d; County Voters Registration, 0d—
    —pavable by proprietors only.
  - Water, 9d per £1. Gas, 3/9 per 1000 cubic feet (less 10°/o in a month), prepayment meters, 4/2d, with discount of 5d per 1000 cubic feet
- Benefactions —Mrs Ann Taylor or Jackson's Bequest.—The annual interest of £100 is expended by the Provost and Magistrates in providing coals for persons of the name of Taylor, and natives of Skipness or Rothesay.
  - Miss Janet Gibson's Bequest.—The interest of £200 is invested with the Minister of the parish, and the Provost and Magistrates of the burgh, for the benefit of old and infirm poor, and applied annually at Candlemas—each recipient receiving a sum of about 5s.
  - THE JAMES DUNCAN CHARITY—£2000, reduced to £1600, bequeathed by the late Jas Duncan of Valparaiso and Rothesay, for the annual benefit of 10 old women
  - BUTE WEDDING DOWRY.--£1000 bequeathed in commemoration of the silver wedding of John Patrick Crichton-Stuart, 3rd Marquess of Bute, to be given by the Provost and Magistrates annually to enable some girl or girls of the poorer classes to be married.
  - EDUCATIONAL GRANT. In terms of a grant made by the Town Council, and arrangement with the School Board, six children are entitled to free education in the Academy for three years
    - Duncan Thomson Bequest.—£2000 bequeathed to the Provost, Magistrates and Town Council of the burgh, and the Parochial Board of the parish, for the erection of a statutory poor house. The Parish Council seven years ago bought a field at Townhead for £1066 188 8d, on which is now built the Thomson House
  - Paterson Bequest.---The interest of £300, bequeathed by the late Miss Janet Paterson, Whinny Brae, is divided annually at Caudlemas, through the Provost and Senior Bailie, among aged and infirm persons.
  - MRS MARY MILLER BEQUEST. -- The interest of £60 is, also through the Provost and Magistrates, applied for coals to the poor.
  - Archibald Brown Bequest.—The interest of £100 bequeathed by the late Archibald Brown, banker, is annually divided by the Provost and Magistrates at Candlemas amongst the poor and infirm of the town.
  - BETHIA WEIR BEQUEST.—Interest on £51 1s, to be applied annually by the Magistrates and Town Council for supplying coal to the poor.
  - The Provost's Fund, instituted by James M'Millan, on E., in commemoration of the King's first visit to Rothesay in July, 1920—subscribed for the benefit of soldiers' widows. Sums collected amount to about £1100: sum aimed at,£1000 Way Margarial Fund. Collected £3511, supprinted at £2500.
  - War Memorial Fund.—Collected £2581; sum aimed at, £2500.
- TOWN COUNCIL. Meets at noon on second Monday of each month. Provost—George Hicks; Bailies-John Maclachlan, John Morton Lawrie and William Watson; Dean of Guild, Duncan Brown; Treasurer, Archibald Brown; Councillors Donald Buchanan, James Fisher. George Halliday, John Jones, William Meldrum, Charles Muir, John M'Callum, James M'Millan, Obe, James S M'Millan, Neil M'Nicol, Wm Robertson and Angus Thompson

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- The Magistrates and Town Council are also Police Commissioners Six members (one representing each ward) retire annually on the first Tuesday of November in normal times—when new elections take place.
- OFFICIALS—Town Clerk and Legal Assessor, Robert Duncan Whyte. Depute, James Rose, Ll. R, w.s. Collector of Rates and Valuation Assessor, John E. L. Gardner. Burgh Prosecutor, William Grant. Police [Burgh amalgamated with County, see page 27] Master of Works and Sanitary Inspector, Alex Stephen Gas Manager, Wm Whyte. Medical Officer, James Stewart Hall, M.B. Analyst, J. W. Biggart, Greenock. Inspector of Weights and Measures, Wm Clark, Paisley. Court-Honse Keeper and Inspector of Explosives, and Inspector under the Shops Act, &c., Matthew C. Stewart. Inspector of Slaughter-House, James M'Lean. Anditor, David Guthrie, CA, Glasgow. Veterinary Surgeons, Wm Moodie & Son, Rothesay. Golf Clubmaster, Duncan Barr.
- PARISH COUNCIL.—Meets on the first Tuesday of each month. Ex-Bailie Donald Buchanan (chairman), xiss Agnes Arrol; messrs James Cunningham, Gavin Fleming, Neil Gillies, John Jones, John Lamont, Arch Meikle, Chas Muir, Andrew M M'Kinlay, James M'Millan, John S Slaven and Angus Speirs. The members are elected every three years
  - Officials—Inspector of Poor, Clerk, and Collector—A Ross Thomson Medical Officer, James Burnett Lawson, Md. Auditor, A Murray Whyte, jun, CA
  - Wards-The Burgh was, in 1886, divided into six wards for municipal purposes.
  - No. I—Ardbeg road, Ardmory road, Argyle place, Argyle terrace, Landward, Marine place, Mackinlay street, Macnab's brae, Westwood, Wyndham road. Representatives: Town Council—Bailie Maclachlan and Messrs Fisher and Muir. Parish Council—Messrs Muir and Speirs
  - No. 2—Alma terrace (part of), Bridgend street (west side), Argyle street, Ballochgoy terrace, Bridge street, Chapelhill road, Gallowgate (west side), Havelock terrace Hillhouse road (west side), Inkerman terrace, Landward, Lilyoak terrace, Staffa place, York terrace, Westland road. Representatives: Town Council—Treasurer Brown, and Messrs Buchanan and Halliday. Parish Council—Messrs Cunningham and McKinlay
  - No. 3—Alma terrace (part of), Barone road (west side), Bridgend street (east side), Columshill place, Columshill street, Gallowgate (east side), Glenhead place Gowanfield place, Hillhouse road (east side), John street, King street, Ladeside street, Landward, Macalister's court, Mill street (west side), Montague street (from Gallowgate to Tower street), Tower street (west side), Victoria street (from Gallowgate to Tower street), West Castle street. Representatives: Town Council—Ballie Lawrie and Messrs Meldrum and Thompson. Parish Council—messrs Buchanan, Fleming and Slaven
  - No. 4—Castlehill street, part of Castle street, Guildford square, High street, (from Guildford square to Castle street), High street (west side), Landward, Meadowcap, Montagne street (from Tower street to Watergate), Mill street (east side), Russell street, Stuart street, Tower street (east side), Union street, Victoria street, (from Tower street to Guildford square), Watergate (west side), Ascog Loch road (south side). Representatives: Town Council—ex-provost Jas M'Millan, and Messrs John Jones and Wm Robertson. Parish Council—messrs Jones and N Gillies
  - No. 5—Albert place, Bishop street, Bishop terrace, Bishop terrace brae (west side) Castle street, Croft lane, East Princes street (to number 21), High street east side, from Castle street to Minister's brae), Landward, Minister's brae (north

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- No. 6—Albany road, Ardencraig road, Battery place, Bishop terrace brae (east side)
  Craigmore road, Crichton road, East Burgh Lands, East Princes street (from No
  22), East ands road, Landward, Mountstuart road. Representatives: -- Tow
  Council--rrovost Hicks, Bailie Watson and Dean of Guild Brown. Parish Council
  --Miss Arrol and Mr Lamont
- Town Council Committees.—Burgh Lands and Golf Course--Councillors Neil M'Nicol (convener), Meldrum (sub-convener), dean of Guild Brown, Treasurer Brown and Councillors Muir and Robertson
  - Gas -Bailie Maclachlan (convener), councillor Jas M'Millan (sub-convener), Bailie Watson, councillors Buchanan, M'Callum and Thomson
  - WATER—Bailie Lawric (convener), W Robertson (sub-convener), pean of guild Brown, councillors Fisher, Halliday and M'Callum
  - FINANCE—Treasurer Brown (convener), Bailie Maclachlan (sub-convener), Provost Hicks, Bailie Lawrie and Councillors James McMillan and McNicol
  - POLICE—Provost Hicks (convener), Bailie Maclachlan (sub-convener), Bailie Lawrie, councillors Buchanan, Jones and James S M'Millan
  - ROADS—Bailie Watson (convener), councillor Halliday (sub-convener), councillors Fisher, Jones, Jas S M'Millan and Thompson
  - Public Health—councillors Jas M'Millan (convener), provost Hicks (sub-convener), councillors Halliday, Meldrum, Muir and M'Nicol
  - PARKS—Dean of Guild D Brown (convener), councillors Jones (sub-convener), Treasurer A Brown, councillors Fisher, Jas S M'Millan and Thompson
  - Electrisity—provost Hicks (conveaer), ex-provost Fisher (sub-convener), treasurer Brown, councillors Meldrum, M'Callum and Jas M'Millan
  - VALUATION Provost Hicks, Dean of Guild Brown, Treasurer Brown, Councillors Meldrum, Muir, James McMillan and McCallum
  - OLD AGE PENSIONS-Provost Hicks (chairman), Bailies Maclachlan and Lawrie, Dean of Guild Brown, Treasurer Brown, councillors Buchanan, Meldrum, Muir, Jas McMillan, M'Callum, M'Nicol and Robertson
    - There are about 260 pensioners in the Burgh).
  - DEAN OF GUILD COURT—Dean of Guild Brown, councillors Muir, Meldrum, N M'Nicol and Jas S M'Millan
  - STEWART INSTITUTE, Members of Board of Management -provest Hicks, Bailies Maclachlan, Lawrie and Watson
  - COUNTY COUNCIL, Burgh Representatives -- Provost Hicks, Bailie Maclachlan, Treasurer Brown and Dean of Guild Brown.
  - Standing Joint Committee—Representatives: Provost Hicks. Bailies Maclachlan, Lawrie and Watson and Treasurer Brown
  - LUNACY—Representatives to the District Board of Control—provost Hicks, Councillors Buchanan Muir, and James McMillan
  - Joint Committee on BLIND PERSONS Act for South West of Scotland—Representatative: provost Hicks
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CIVIL DISTRESS, Prince of Wales' Committee for relief--ex-Provost Fisher, chairman

- Licensing Appeal Court Appointed by Justices --- ex-Provost Jas M<sup>\*</sup>Millan and Messrs Donald Buchanan, Rothesay, and John Ferguson, Port-Bannaryne, Appointed by Rothesay Magistrates---Provost Hicks and Bailies Maclachlan and Lawrie
- Harbour Trust.—The Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council, along with the following shipowners' representatives: Messrs Lachlan H Gilchrist, John D Rodger, John Halliday and Charles A Bremner

Harbour Committee—ex-bailie Buchanan (convener), Bailie Watson (sub-convener), councillors Meldrum, Muir, McCallum and Robertson; and messrs Bremner, Gilchrist, Halliday and Rodger

OFFICIALS— Clerk, R D Whyte. Depute, James Rose. Harbour-Master, Robert Houston, Master of Works, Alex Stephen, Bridge Attendant, D M\*Lellan. Overseer of Turnstiles, the Harbourmaster

Parish Council Committees.—LAW -- Mr Jones, (convener), Miss Arrol and Messrs Gillies and M'Kinlay

FINANCE--Messrs Buchanan (convener), Cunningham, Meikle, Lamont, Muir and Spiers

CEMETERY -- Messrs Speirs (convener), Jones, Fleming, Gillies, Meikle, M. Kinlay, M. Millan and Slaven

VISITING-The Whole Council

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- BRIDGEND UNITED FREE, Bridgend street (hours of worship, 11 am and 6:30 p m)

  —Rev James Esselmont. Session-Clerk, Alex MfNab. Preses, A M MfKinlay.

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- CRAIGMORE UNITED FREE, Crichton road (hours of worship, 11 a m and 6.30 p m Session-Clerk, Robert Clunie. Preses, Arch.
  - Ewing. Clerk, Alex Ross Thomson. Treasurer, Robert Clunie. Organist, A R Thomson. Church Officer. Geo Masey, Glendermot cottage
- Free, Chapelbill, (hours of worship, 11 am and 6 30 pm.)—Rev J D Ramsay Session-Clerk, Congregational Clerk and Treasurer, Church officer, John, 11 Argyle pl
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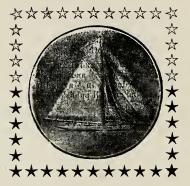
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Registrar, Archd Brown | In 1924 there were 21 births, 2 marriages and 19 deaths Asst, miss Jenny T Brown | , 1925 , 16 , 1 , 1 , 17 ,

CHURCHES.—NORTH BUTE PARISH (hours of worship: Crockanrae, 1 30 p m; St Ninian's 11 a m and 6 30 p m)—Minister, Rev Peter Dewar, MA. Session Clerk, Jas P Malcom. Superintendent of Sabbath School, Chas S Speirs. Precentor, (Crock an rae), George Welsh. Harmoniumist (St Ninian's), George Dryden, sen Church Officer, Wm Jardine, Castle st

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PARISH Council.—James P Malcom (chairman), John Alexander, John Currie, Wm Dallas, Ninian Duncan, Colin M'Callum, and Hugh K Orr. Inspector and Collector, Archd Brown

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(men and womeninhabitants of other lands). If they did not sing "Auld Langsyne"
thus early, they all felt that they were brethren "happy to meet, sorry to part,"
and all looked forward to the pleasure of meeting again.

The Second was held at Geneva, in August, 1906,

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The Third was held at Cambridge, August, 1907,

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The Eleventh was to have been held at Edinburgh, in 1915, but

The E eventh Tuta Mondo Esperanto Congress absorbed the Tuta Pacifica Kongreso, at

San Francisco, to commemorate the Opening of the Panama Canal.

The Twelfth was held at the Hague, Holland, 1920.

The Thirteenth at Prague, Czechoslovakia, August, 1921,

The Fourteenth at Helsingfors, Finnland, August, 1922,

The Fifteenth at Nurnberg, Bavaria, August, 1923,

The Sixteenth at Vienna, Austria, August, 1924,

The Seventeenth at Geneva, August. 1925, and now

The Eighteenth at Edinburgh, in July-August, 1926, to which Scotsmen prepared a hearty welcome to persons from other lands.

NATIONAL CONGRESSES

were continuous during the Great War. Stirling and Linlithgow were early in evidence as the rendezvous of Scottish Esperantists, and while we were busy with the annual issue of our Directory, the 21st Annual Scottish Esperanto Congress was being held at Stirling in June. The British Esperanto Association, although it only passed its 17th Annual Congress at Whitsunday, 1926, is a larger and more vigorous institution than the Scottish. This June, the arrangements were advanced for the imminent Big International

Event in Edinburgh.

On the Continent the movement is much more advanced than here: the necessity is more apparent.

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#### Parish of Kingarth

THIS parish is rich in ecclesiastical history. The Irish Bishop, St Cattan, landed here in the year 439. He was uncle of the famous St Blane. The parish includes the popular village of Kilchattan Bay, which is about seven miles from Rothesay, and has regular connection by steamer and bus. The population in 1891 was 1062; in 1901, 1056; in 1911, 967; and in 1921, 644 males; 836 females; total, 1480

(For Courts and Court Officials, Justices of the Peace, and County Boards, see County Lists).

- Assessments, 1924-25 —Poor rate, education, and registration, 1/2 per £1 on owners and 1s 2d on tenants
- Registrar, W T Esplin, During 1925 there were 5 births, 5 marriages and 7 deaths Schoolhouse. 1924 ,, 9 ,, 1 ,, 10 ,,
- CHURCHES.—Parish (Hour of Worship, 12 o'clock noon) Minister emeritus, Rev John Saunders, B D; assistant and successor, Rev Daniel Stewart, M A. Session-Clerk, William B Crawford, Langalchorad. Superintendent of Sabbath Schools, Daniel M'Phee. Precentor, James Logan. Church Officer, W Stewart
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  - UNITED FREE, Kilchattan Bay (Hours of Worship, 12 noon and 6 30 pm.) Minister, Rev J Townsley, M.A. Session-Clerk, Thos Gilmour. Organist, Miss J Morrison Church Officer, Wm Fisher
- PARISH COUNCIL.—Mountstuart District --George K Baillie, Robert M'Alister and Wm M'Farlane. Kilchattan Bay District--Wm B Crawford, farmer, Thomas M'Clure; Thos Gilmour; and Wm Crawford, hotelkeeper (chairman); Representative to the Bute District Committee, Ths Gilmour. Inspector and Collector, W T Esplin
- SCHOOLS.—Kingarth Public— W T Esplin, master Miss Massie, mistress Kerrycroy Public—miss Baird
  - For EDUCATIONAL AUTHORITY, see County Section.
- Kilchattan Bay Pier Company (Limited)—Chairman, George Baillie. Secretary and Treasurer, W T Esplin. Piermaster, Malcolm Kelso
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FAST DAYS-Thursdays before first Sabbath in May and fourth in October

POSTAL ARRANGEMENTS—Kingarth, Sub-Postmaster, R MeFie, joiner. Sale of stamps and postal orders

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(For Courts and Court Officials, Justices of the Peace, and County Boards, see County Lists)

Population in 1881, 4762; in 1891, 4927; in 1901, 4779: 1911 (Brodick, 992
 Kilbride, 1323: Kilmory, 954; Shisken, 764; Lochranza, 585) 4628—all in
 April. 1921—in June—Kilbride, 5293; Kilmory, 3001: total, 8294.

For Valuation and Assessments see pages 17, 19 and 21

Lady of the Manor--Lady Mary (only daughter of the late William Alexander Louis
Stephen Douglas Hamilton, 12th Duke of Hamilton and Brandon, &c.), now
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FREE CHURCH.—Brodick—Rev Duld Cameron. Whiting Bay—Rev Win Fowler CONGREGATIONAL.—Sannox—Rev Allan C M\*Dougall

PARISH COUNCIL.—Corrie Ward—Rev Jas Brown and Rev Allan C M'Dougall.

Brodick Ward—George Laidler (chairman), Arch Brown and Arch Currie
Lamlash Ward—Mr James Bone and captain J Black. Whiting Bay Ward—
John W Kelso and Alex Kerr

Inspector, John R Thomson Collector, Wm L Rough. Medical Officer, Donald McDougall, MB, CM, Brodick

SCHOOLS. —Corrie—Miss Mary Ann Stewart. Brodick—Henry D Ross. Lamlash —Charles Farmer, M A. Whiting Bay--Wm Carnegie For EDUCATIONAL AUTHORITY, see County Section.

Doctors—James Buchanan, LRCS E, Lamlash; and Dr Donald M'Dougall, Brodick Bank of Scotland — Wm Orr, agent, Lamlash: sub-agent, J Middleton, Brodick

Registrars of Births, &c-Brodick-H D Ross Kilbride-John R Thomson

Post Offices — Brodick -- A Cameron. Corrie -- Miss A Young. King's Cross— J Cook. Lamlash--R S M'Neish. Whiting Bay--J E George

Piermasters — Brodick -- A Currie. Lamlash -- James Hodge. Whiting Bay -- A Currie, Brodick, manager

Ferrymen-Corrie-Thomas Kelso.

Masonic--" St Molio's' Lodge, No. 774, Lamlash—David Middletou, R W M. R L M'Neish, Secretary

Lamlash Golf Club --Captain, Matthew Kerr. Secretary, James Toole. Treasurer, T Wilson

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Communions-First Sabbaths in May and November

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While enjoying holidays remember to gather sprigs to send to friends abroad, or in response to appeals you will see in leading Scottish weekly newspapers.

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Mr George Higgie, 22 Bridge St., Rothesay, Scotland.

On behalf of the East London Caledonian Society I wish to thank you for being so kind in responding to my appeal for heather, which was sold on our Patron Saint's Day, and realised the very handsome sum of £265 5/11, and has been forwarded to the fund for disabled Sailors and Soldiers

The heather was received in first-class condition, and was much prized — Yours faithfully. JAMES FORBES,

Convener of Heather Committee.

It is not only Scots abroad who enjoy a sprig of something that actually grew at mme. The Glasgow' Evening Times, while the above acknowledgment was on the ocean, printed the following;—"Flower girls in Argyle Street are making brave display with the mimosa, which comes to us from the Continent before the swallows or even the daffodils dare. It is one of the indications, after the shortest day, that somewhere the sun is shining, and that winter is waning. Australians in town are greatly cheared by the golden glory, for the mimosa is the wattle of their homeland, earrying with it the same significance as the heather to a Scot abroad."

Colonials and others on holiday in this country, have thanked us personally for sending them sonvenirs of Scotland when far away; and others have reciprocated by sending preserved leaves and flowers from their distant lands.

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UNITED FREE. -- Kildonan-Rev J Brand Scott. Shiskine FREE -- Lochranza -- Rev Neil M'Donald. Lochranza -- Rev Alex Shaw

PARISH COUNCIL.—Lochranza Ward—Alexander M'Allister and Alexander Kerr Dougarie Ward—Peter Baird JP; and Angus M'Alister. Shedog Ward—Neil Robertson (chairman), and Chas M'Alister, jun. South End Ward—Peter Hamilton and John M'Bride

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Esperanto has come to stay, and, like the rain

and sunshine, is for the benefit of everybody.

N.B.—There still appears to be a belief in some quarters that this extraordinarily-useful language is only a fad of lingual enthusiasts (!) It has won admiration and success wherever adopted. Though "Belega Skotlando" and "Skotlanda Pejzaĝo" are enjoyed throughout the civilized world, they are favourites among the hundreds of Esperanto groupoj in the British Isles and Empire, who delight in circulating the "key" language of universal peace and good-will.

## Parish of Cumbrae.

THIS parish comprises the islands of the Great and Little Cumbrae off the Ayrshire coast. The Burgh of Millport, on the larger Isle, is a popular watering-place. This isle is 12 miles in circumference, and has a well-made road round it. On the smaller isle is the Cumbrae Lighthouse.

Population 1921, 2501 males; 3451 females: total, 5952.

(For Valuation, Courts and Court Officials, Justices of the Peace, and County Boards, see County Lists—pages 17 to 30).

Assessments: Consolidated Rates, - Owners, 9:70d; occupiers, 50:6d

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School Rate, - - - , 8½d; ,, 8½d

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PARISH COUNCIL.—James C Sharpe (chairman), John Crawford, Alex Muir, J T Machay, James Risk, and Robert Young

Inspector, Clerk and Collector, James Stewart

CHURCHES.—Parish (hours of worship, 11 am and 630 pm)--Minister, Rev Archibald Grierson M.A. Session-Clerk, James A Macfarlane

EAST UNITED FREE (hours of worship, 11 am and 6 30 pm): Minister, Rev Donald Macrae, MA

West United Free (hours of worship, 11 am and 6 30 pm)—Minister, Rev James Frame, MA, BD

Scottish Episcopal Church -- The Church of St John the Evangelist, at Oban, has been raised to the status of Cathedral Church of Argyll and the Isles-Bishop, Right Rev Kenneth Mackenzie, DD.

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# SPELING REFORM

THIS IS NOT A NEW DESIRE; BUT BESPEAKS A GREATLY INCREASED INTEREST IN A VERY IMPORTANT SUBJECT AT THE PRESENT TIME. Under the appropriate heading,

# "A Wasted Year,"

there appeared, on 3rd May, 1924, a Special Article in the Evening Citizen, Glasgow, showing that this is the time lost in the life of every child in Britain while acquiring the irregular and inconsistent spelling of our language.

The SIMPLIFIED SPELING SOCIETY is promoting a petition to present to the Prime Minister, calling for the appointment of a Royal Commission—including Scholars, Teachers, Men of Letters and Men of Business—to consider the whole question, and report.

Experiments already made by enthusiasts have proved eminently satisfactory, and shows how much valuable time will be saved for other studies by the removal of the speling

incubus.

The Speling Reformers include all classes of the people, and the question is not a party one.

The Simplified Speling Society of Great Britain, and the Speling Reform Association of U.S. A., have issued the first number of a joint quarterly journal, "Speling."

Shorthand could not be written without a Reformed and Phonetic Alphabet-

- Masonic-Lodge "Kelburne" No 459-Meets on the first Friday of each month in the Masonic Hall, Crawford street, at 8 pm; R W M, James Crawferd. Secretary and Treasurer, H Hunter
- Scottish Marine Biological Association of the West of Scotland: President, sir Arch M'Innes Shaw, Ll.D. Secretary and Treasurer, A Lawrie Brown. 88 Bath st Glasgow. Curator of Aquarium at Millport, Richard Elmhurst
- Cumbrae Branch of Buteshire Liberal Association; President, Wm M\*Gregor. Secretary, J D M\*Kay. Janitor, Mrs Gray
- Cumbrae Unionist Association; President, Geo Finnie. Secretary, John H Hunter. Janitor, Mrs Brown
- Cumbrae Women's Unionist Association. President, Mrs King. Secretary, Miss Gardner. Treasurer, Miss Barclay
- Curling Club: President, A K Anderson. Secretary and Treasurer, Alex Cunningham
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ROTHESAY, SCOTLAND.

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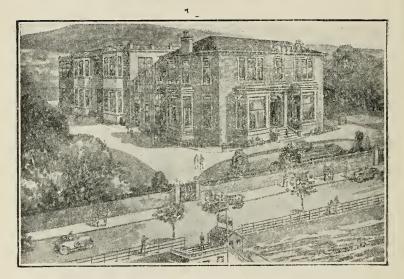
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- Our aim, in this publication, is not to record the passing names and achievements of visitors and those who come to cater for them, but something of far greater importance—the registering of the names, standing, and businesses of the resident population—for the information of all having an interest in Buteshire, its burghs and rural districts.
- The Directory is, of course, not only for the remaining portion of the year in which it is issued, but continues the only printed reference book for the county of Bute until its successor appears.
- One edition of the Directory is no sooner off than we begin to note alterations (and prepare for possible additions) for the next—so that it may be thoroughly up to date. These alterations and probable additions lie at our office, and are at the service of our customers.
- Will Secretaries of societies, etc., connected with Buteshire, who do not already do so, please remember to forward to us particulars of their institutions, annual reports and lists of office-bearers, as information for the next issue?
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This DIRECTORY came out regularly during the strenous years of the Great War.

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